Pendergast, Jim

From: Fertik, Rachel

Sent: Tuesday, July 23, 2013 3:07 PM

To: Evans, David; Kaiser, Russell; Downing, Donna

Subject: FW: WOUS: FINAL Charge to External Peer Reviewers

Karyn give a thumbs up too.

From: Wendelowski, Karyn

Sent: Tuesday, July 23, 2013 2:37 PM

To: Fertik, Rachel

Subject: RE: WOUS: FINAL Charge to External Peer Reviewers

Thanks for forwarding Rachel – everything looks good (I still cringe at "geographically isolated" just because of how it means such different things to so many people, but that horse has fled the barn). Can't wait for the report to be released!

From: Fertik, Rachel

Sent: Friday, July 19, 2013 10:50 AM

To: Wendelowski, Karyn

Subject: FW: WOUS: FINAL Charge to External Peer Reviewers

Hi Karyn,

As with the report, this is not for distribution. If you have time to review this, it is only a couple pages. Showstoppers only in terms of comments, please. Please send any feedback to me, Dave, Donna, and Russ, and we will pass along to ORD. This will be made public simultaneous with the report in the next few weeks.

Thanks, Rachel

From: Frithsen, Jeff

Sent: Friday, July 19, 2013 8:56 AM

To: Stoner, Nancy; Keehner, Denise; Evans, David

Cc: Olden, Kenneth; Walsh, Debra; Vandenberg, John; Bussard, David; Alexander, Laurie; Fertik, Rachel

Subject: WOUS: FINAL Charge to External Peer Reviewers

Re: Draft report, Connectivity of Streams and Wetlands to Downstream Waters: A Review and Synthesis of the Scientific Evidence.

Attached are the final charge questions to the SAB external review panel.

SAB plans to release the charge questions, the draft report, and the announcement of the panel composition and meeting date all at the same time. I believe they are still targeting the first week in August. The panel meeting has not been scheduled, but I believe we are looking at sometime in November.

Jeff

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